NOTICE OF HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the **LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION** of **San Bernardino County** will hold a public hearing:

FEBRUARY 20, 2008
CITY OF SAN BERNARDINO
CITY HALL - COUNCIL CHAMBERS
300 North D Street, First Floor
San Bernardino, California

Environmental documentation on the following projects is available for review in the staff office of the Local Agency Formation Commission. Anyone wishing to examine this documentation may contact the LAFCO staff office at 215 North D Street, Suite 204, San Bernardino, California 92415-0490, or call (909) 383-9900 within 21 days of this notice.

<u>9:00 A.M. – CONVENE CLOSED SESSION OF THE LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION</u> – Conference Room adjacent to the San Bernardino City Council Chambers located at 300 North D Street, First Floor, San Bernardino

Personnel (Government Code Section 54957)

Employee Evaluation – Executive Officer

RECONVENE TO REGULAR MEETING OF THE LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION -

San Bernardino City Council Chambers

- 1. Announcement of Action from Closed Session
- 2. Presentation of Resolution of Appreciation to former Commissioner A.R. "Tony" Sedano
- 3. Approval of Minutes for Regular Meeting of January 16, 2008

CONSENT ITEMS:

- 4. Approval of Executive Officer's Expense Report
- 5. Ratify Payments as Reconciled for Month of January 2008 and Note Cash Receipts

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

6. Consideration of: (1) CEQA Statutory Exemption for LAFCO 3002; and (2) LAFCO 3002 – Municipal Service Review and Sphere of Influence Update for Mojave Desert Resource Conservation District

The service review and existing sphere study area is generally bordered on the east by the states of Nevada and Arizona; on the south by a combination of the Riverside County line and the Inland Empire Resource Conservation District; on the west by Los Angeles and Kern County lines; and on the north by Inyo County line, excluding the area of China Lake Naval Weapons Center and Searles Valley.

A sphere of influence amendment is proposed for expansion of the district's sphere of influence. The area is located in the northwesternmost portion of San Bernardino County and includes the area of China Lake Naval Weapons Center and Searles Valley. The area comprises approximately 960 +/- square miles and is bordered on the west by the Los Angeles County line, on the north by the Inyo County line, and on the east and south by existing district boundaries.

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7. Consideration of: (1) CEQA Statutory Exemption for LAFCO 3021; and (2) LAFCO 3021 – Service Review and Sphere of Influence Update for County Service Area 29 (Lucerne Valley)

County Service Area 29 is not proposing any changes to its sphere of influence boundaries. The sphere and District boundary are coterminous, comprise approximately 433+/- square miles, and is identified as the community of Lucerne Valley.

The service review and sphere study area is located in the north desert portion of the County and is generally bordered by the Apple Valley Fire Protection District and its sphere of influence on the west; the north line of Township 6 North on the north which includes area eight miles north of North Side Road; a combination of the east line of Range 2 East and section lines on the east which includes areas east and west of Bessemer Mine Road, Green Rock Mine Road, and Camp Rock Road; and section lines on the south which includes the Mitsubishi Cushenbury Cement Plant and area north and south of the San Bernardino National Forest boundary.

- 8. Mid-Year Budget Review and Fee Schedule Update 2007-08
- 9. Pending Legislation Report
- 10. Executive Officer's Oral Report
- 11. Commissioner Comments

(This is an opportunity for Commissioners to comment on issues not listed on the agenda, provided that the subject matter is within the jurisdiction of the Commission and that no action may be taken on offagenda items unless authorized by law.)

12. Comments from the Public

(By Commission policy, the public comment period is limited to five minutes per person for comments related to items under the jurisdiction of LAFCO.)

The Commission may adjourn for lunch from 12:00 to 1:30 p.m.

In its deliberations, the Commission may make appropriate changes incidental to the above-listed proposals.

Current law and Commission policy require the publishing of staff reports prior to the public hearing. These reports contain technical findings, comments, and recommendations of staff. The staff recommendation may be accepted or rejected by the Commission after its own analysis and consideration of public testimony.

If you challenge any decision regarding the above proposals in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice or in written correspondence delivered to the LAFCO staff office at, or prior to, the public hearing.

A person with a disability may contact the LAFCO office at (909) 383-9900 at least 72-hours before the scheduled meeting to request receipt of an agenda in an alternative format or to request disability-related accommodations, including auxiliary aids or services, in order to participate in the public meeting. Later requests will be accommodated to the extent feasible.

LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION KATHLEEN ROLLINGS-McDONALD, Executive Officer

By: ANGELA M. SCHELL, Deputy Clerk to the Commission